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Title: SECURITY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR MONITORING FIREWALL OPERATION

PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE UNDER 37 CFR 1.313

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Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

1. Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for the withdrawal of this application from issue.
2. The issue fee for this case
 - a. ☐ has NOT been paid, but is due for payment on.
 - b. ☒ has been paid on May 11, 2009.
3. The reason for the request for withdrawal from issue is:
 - a. ☐ Unpatentability of one or more claims
 - b. ☒ Consideration of a Request for Continued Examination in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114
 - c. ☐ Express abandonment of the application (which may be in favor of a continuation application).
4. The petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h)) is paid as follows:
 - ☐ Enclosed is a check in the sum of \$130.00.
 - ☒ Charge Account 07-2347 the sum of \$130.00.

A duplicate of this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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